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**FOREWORD**

This document compiles nuclear safety criteria applied to the various areas of nuclear safety addressed in a Safety Analysis Report for a nonreactor nuclear facility (NNF). The criteria listed are derived from federal regulations, Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) guides and publications, DOE and DOE contractor publications, and industry codes and standards. The titles of the chapters and sections of Regulatory Guide 3.26, "Standard Format and Content of Safety Analysis Reports for Fuel Reprocessing Plants" were used to format the chapters and sections of this compilation. In each section the criteria are compiled in four groups, namely: (1) Code of Federal Regulations, (2) USNRC Regulatory Guides, (3) Codes and Standards, and (4) Supplementary Information.



## CHAPTER 1

### INTRODUCTION

The Department of Energy (DOE) Order DOE 5480.5, "Safety of Nuclear Facilities," establishes nonreactor nuclear facility (NNF) safety requirements to assure that NNFs are sited, designed, constructed, modified, operated, maintained, and decommissioned in accordance with uniform standards, guides, and codes which are consistent with those applied to comparable NRC-licensed nonreactor nuclear facilities.

This document identifies nuclear safety criteria applied to the areas of safety addressed in the Safety Analysis Report for a NNF. The degree of application of these criteria to a DOE-owned NNF should be determined by the DOE and DOE contractor.

#### 1.1 PURPOSE

This guide is a compilation and source list of nuclear safety criteria primarily used by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) and private industry in commercial NNFs. Because the DOE, in some areas of NNF design, construction, operation, and decommissioning has taken the lead in developing NNF criteria, the guide also includes criteria used by the DOE and DOE contractors. Those criteria that are mandated by the DOE Orders shall be used in the design, construction, operation, or decommissioning of DOE NNFs. The remaining nuclear safety criteria listed in the guide should be evaluated by DOE and DOE contractors for application to the DOE-owned NNFs under their cognizance. The criteria listed are those that are applicable to the specific areas of nuclear safety addressed in the Safety Analysis Report of an associated NNF.

#### 1.2 SOURCES OF CRITERIA AND FORMAT

The nuclear safety criteria identified in this guide are derived from federal regulations, USNRC regulatory guides and publications, DOE and DOE contractor publications, and industry codes and standards.

To assure that this guide includes the areas of nuclear safety addressed in a Safety Analysis Report, USNRC Regulatory Guide 3.26, "Standard Format and Content of Safety Analysis Reports for Fuel Reprocessing Plants," is used as a model to establish its fundamental format and content. To eliminate excessive repetition, criteria are identified only in those

subsections that address the thrust of the criteria. As an example, even though quality assurance is applicable to all areas of nuclear safety, quality assurance criteria are only listed in those sections that specifically pertain to quality assurance. The criteria applicable to each subsection or area of safety are presented in an outline format represented by the following four subsections.

### **1.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

Generally, the criteria in this subsection are provided in federal regulations from specific sections of Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR). In addition, other federal regulations may be listed that are identified for application to licensed NNFs.

Depending on the type of facility, the NRC licenses NNFs under various Parts of 10 CFR. These Parts include the following:

A. Part 50, "Domestic Licensing of Production and Utilization Facilities."

B. Part 60, "Disposal of High-Level Radioactive Waste in Geologic Repositories."

C. Part 61, "Licensing Requirements for Land Disposal of Radioactive Waste."

D. Part 70, "Domestic Licensing of Special Nuclear Material."

E. Part 72, "Licensing Requirements for the Independent Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste."

### **1.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

USNRC regulatory guides issued under Division 3, "Fuels and Materials Facilities," are primarily listed in this subsection. Regulatory guides from other divisions are also listed when pertinent to the areas of safety addressed in the Safety Analysis Report. The other divisions include the following:

A. Division 1, "Power Reactors."

B. Division 4, "Environmental and Siting."

C. Division 5, "Materials and Plant Protection."

D. Division 8, "Occupational Health."

### 1.2.3 Codes and Standards

The industry codes and standards listed in this subsection are those endorsed by the NRC and those specified in DOE and DOE contractor publications. In addition, appropriate industry codes and standards are listed.

Many of the industry standards specified in the NRC and/or DOE criteria have been revised, withdrawn or replaced by more recent standards. Most of these obsolete standards are no longer issued by their sponsoring organization and, therefore, are not readily available for use. In most instances, revised versions of obsolete standards are listed. These revised standards have generally incorporated supplemental requirements that often qualified the NRC endorsement of the original standards.

### 1.2.4 Supplementary Information

This subsection lists documents referenced in both NRC and DOE criteria that do not fall within one of the three preceding groups of nuclear safety criteria. It includes appropriate NRC Information Notices and Bulletins, NUREGs, guidance documents specified in NRC and DOE criteria, DOE contractor publications, and relevant industry reports and guides. Although these sources do not always specify requirements, they provide interpretations of the criteria and background information for consideration, as well as methods specified by or considered acceptable to the NRC and/or the DOE for implementing and satisfying the pertinent criteria.

## 1.3 SAFETY ANALYSIS REPORT CRITERIA

This section compiles the criteria that address the need, preparation, content, and revision of a Safety Analysis Report (SAR). It also contains general criteria that are applicable to many sections of an SAR and are listed here to avoid repetition throughout this guide.

### 1.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations

In addition to specific regulations listed in individual sections of this guide, the following regulations are applicable:

- A. 10 CFR Part 20, "Standards for Protection Against Radiation."
- B. 10 CFR 50.33, "Contents of Applications, General Information."
- C. 10 CFR 50.34, "Contents of Applications, Technical Information."

- D. 10 CFR 50.36b, "Environmental Conditions."
- E. 10 CFR 50.55, "Conditions of Construction Permits."
- F. 10 CFR 50.59, "Changes, Tests, and Experiments."
- G. 10 CFR 50.71, "Maintenance of Records, Making Reports."
- H. 10 CFR 60.21, "Content of Application."
- I. 10 CFR 60.44, "Changes, Tests, and Experiments."
- J. 10 CFR 61.10, "Content of Application."
- K. 10 CFR 61.25, "Changes."
- L. 10 CFR 70.22, "Contents of Applications."
- M. 10 CFR 70.23, "Requirements for the Approval of Applications."
- N. 10 CFR 72.22, "Contents of Application: General and Financial Information."
- O. 10 CFR 72.24, "Contents of Application: Technical Information."
- P. 10 CFR 72.30, "Decommissioning Planning, Including Financing and Record Keeping."
- Q. 10 CFR 72.48, "Changes, Tests, and Experiments."

### **1.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

The regulatory guides listed below provide criteria for the format and content of SARs and license applications. To avoid repetition, since their criteria are pertinent to many sections of this guide, they are listed only in this subsection.

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.15, "Standard Format and Content of License Application for Storage Only of Unirradiated Power Reactor Fuel and Associated Radioactive Material."
- B. Regulatory Guide 3.25, "Standard Format and Content of Safety Analysis Reports for Uranium Enrichment Facilities."
- C. Regulatory Guide 3.26, "Standard Format and Content of Safety Analysis Reports for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.39, "Standard Format and Content of License Applications for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.44, "Standard Format and Content for the Safety Analysis Report for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Basin Type)."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.48, "Standard Format and Content for the Safety Analysis Report for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation or Monitored Retrievable Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.50, "Standard Format and Content for a License Application to Store Spent Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste."

H. Regulatory Guide 3.52, "Standard Format and Content for the Health and Safety Sections of License Renewal Applications for Uranium Processing and Fuel Fabrication."

I. Regulatory Guide 3.55, "Standard Format and Content for the Health and Safety Sections of License Renewal Applications for Uranium Hexafluoride Production."

J. Regulatory Guide 3.61, "Standard Format and Content for a Topical Safety Analysis Report for a Spent Fuel Dry Storage Cask."

K. Regulatory Guide 3.62, "Standard Format and Content for the Safety Analysis Report for Onsite Storage of Spent Fuel Storage Casks."

### **1.3.3 Codes and Standards**

None.

### **1.3.4 Supplementary Information**

A. To avoid repetition, since the criteria provided in these documents are pertinent to many sections of this guide, they are listed only in this subsection. The following documents provide criteria for the format and content of SARS and license applications.

1. LA-11661-MS, Vol. I, "Guidance for the Preparation of Safety Analysis Reports," Howard, H.H. et al., Los Alamos National Laboratory, June 1990.

2. NUREG-1199, Rev. 1, "Standard Format and Content of a License Application for a Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Facility," January 1989.

3. NUREG-1200, Rev. 1, "Standard Review Plan for the Review of a License Application for a Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Facility," January 1988.

4. HEDL-MG-153, "Safety Analysis Guide for Non-reactor Nuclear Facilities," Lucas, D.E., Hanford Engineering Development Laboratory, 1981.

5. BNWL-2086, "A Guide to Good Practice at Plutonium Facilities," Faust, L.G. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, September 1977.

B. The following document provides specific criteria for siting, design, construction, modification, operation, maintenance, or decommissioning of a NNF.

1. DOE/TIC-11603, Rev. 1, "Nonreactor Nuclear Facilities: Standards and Criteria Guide," Brynda, W.J. et al., Brookhaven National Laboratory, September 1986.

## CHAPTER 2

### SITE CHARACTERISTICS

Site characteristics have influenced facility design and operating criteria for nuclear safety. This chapter identifies criteria for the geological, seismological, hydrological, and meteorological characteristics of the site and vicinity, as well as nearby population, transportation routes, and other facilities.

#### 2.1 GEOGRAPHY AND DEMOGRAPHY

##### 2.1.1 Code of Federal Regulations

A. 10 CFR 50 Appendix F, "Policy Relating to the Siting of Fuel Reprocessing Plants and Related Waste Management Facilities."

B. 10 CFR 60.15, "Site Characterization."

C. 10 CFR 60.17, "Contents of Site Characterization Plan."

D. 10 CFR 60.18, "Review of Site Characterization Activities."

E. 10 CFR 60.122, "Siting Criteria."

F. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

G. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."

H. 10 CFR 61.53, "Environmental Monitoring."

I. 10 CFR 72.24, "Contents of Application; Technical Information."

J. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."

K. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."

L. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."

M. 10 CFR 72.100, "Defining Potential Effects of the ISFSI or MRS on the Region."

N. 10 CFR 72.102, "Geological and Seismological Characteristics."

O. 10 CFR 100.10, "Factors to Be Considered When Evaluating Sites."

P. 10 CFR 100, Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

### **2.1.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

B. Regulatory Guide 4.9, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Commercial Uranium Enrichment Facilities."

C. Regulatory Guide 4.17, "Standard Format and Content of Site Characterization Plans for High-Level-Waste Geologic Repositories."

D. Regulatory Guide 4.18, "Standard Format and Content of Environmental Reports for Near-Surface Disposal of Radioactive Waste."

E. Regulatory Guide 4.19, "Guidance for Selecting Sites for Near-Surface Disposal of Low-Level Radioactive Waste."

### **2.1.3 Codes and Standards**

A. None.

### **2.1.4 Supplementary Information**

A. NUREG-0902, "Site Suitability, Selection, and Characterization," 1982.

B. NUREG/CR-4161, "Critical Parameters for High-Level Waste Repository," Binnall, E.P. et al. , Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, May 1985.

C. NUREG/CR-3583, "Evaluation of Low-Altitude Remote Sensing Techniques for Obtaining Site Characterization Information," Estes, J.E., et al., University of California at Santa Barbara, April 1984.

D. NUREG/CR-3247, "Site Characterization Information Using LANDSAT and other Remote Sensing Data - Integration of Remote Sensing Data with Geographic Information Systems," Camp-

bell, W.J. and Imhoff, M.L., National Aeronautics and Space Administration, June 1983.

E. NUREG/CR-2861, "Image Analysis for Facility Siting: A Comparison of Low and High Altitude Image Interpretability for Land Use/Land Cover Mapping."

F. NUREG/CR-2663, "Information Needs for Characterization of High-Level Waste Repository Sites in Six Geologic Media," Ertec Western, Inc., May 1985.

## **2.2 NEARBY INDUSTRIAL, TRANSPORTATION AND MILITARY FACILITIES**

Criteria for the effects of postulated accidents in the vicinity of the facility from present or projected industrial, transportation, and military installations and operations are identified in this section.

### **2.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.121, "Requirements for Ownership and Control of Interests in Land."

B. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."

C. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."

D. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."

E. 10 CFR 72.94, "Design Basis External Man-Induced Events."

F. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."

G. 10 CFR 100.10, "Factors to Be Considered When Evaluating Sites."

### **2.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 1.91, "Evaluations of Explosions Postulated to Occur on Transportation Routes Near Nuclear Power Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 4.9, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Commercial Uranium Enrichment Facilities."

C. Regulatory Guide 4.18, "Standard Format and Content of Environmental Reports for Near-Surface Disposal of Radioactive Waste."

D. Regulatory Guide 4.19, "Guidance for Selecting Sites for Near-Surface Disposal of Low-Level Radioactive Waste."

### **2.2.3 Codes and Standards**

A. None.

### **2.2.4 Supplementary Information**

A. NUREG-0902, "Site Suitability, Selection, and Characterization," 1982.

## **2.3 METEOROLOGY**

Criteria for regional climatology, local meteorology, onsite meteorological measurements program, and atmospheric diffusion estimates are identified in this section.

### **2.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.24, "Updating of Application and Environmental Report."

B. 10 CFR 60.122, "Siting Criteria."

C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

D. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."

E. 10 CFR 61.53, "Environmental Monitoring."

F. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

G. 10 CFR 100.10, "Factors to Be Considered When Evaluating Sites."

### **2.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 1.145, "Atmospheric Dispersion Models for Potential Accident Consequence Assessments at Nuclear Power Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.8, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Uranium Mills."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.63, "Onsite Meteorological Measurement Program for Uranium Recovery Facilities-Data Requisition and Reporting."

E. Regulatory Guide 4.9, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Commercial Uranium Enrichment Facilities."

F. Regulatory Guide 4.17, "Standard Format and Content of Site Characterization Plans for High-Level Waste Geologic Repositories."

G. Regulatory Guide 4.18, "Standard Format and Content of Environmental Reports for Near-Surface Disposal of Radioactive Waste."

H. Regulatory Guide 4.19, "Guidance for Selecting Sites for Near-Surface Disposal of Low-Level Radioactive Waste."

### **2.3.3 Codes and Standards**

A. ANSI/ANS 2.3-1983, "Standard for Estimating Tornado and Extreme Wind Characteristics at Nuclear Power Sites."

B. ANSI/ANS 2.5-1984, "Standard for Determining Meteorological Information at Nuclear Power Sites."

### **2.3.4 Supplementary Information**

A. Background Information, General Meteorology.

1. NUREG-0902, "Site Suitability, Selection, and Characterization," 1982.

2. U.S. Department of Commerce, "Climatic Atlas of the United States," Environmental Data Service, NOAA, June 1968.

3. U.S. Department of Commerce, "Local Climatological Data and Comparative Data," Environmental Data Service, NOAA (Published Annually for all First-Order NWS Stations).

4. U.S. Department of Commerce, "State Climatological Summary," Environmental Data Service, NOAA, (Published Annually by State).

B. Background Information, Specific Meteorological Conditions.

1. UCRL-53526, Rev. 1, "Natural Phenomena Hazards Modeling Project: Extreme Wind/Tornado Hazard Models for Department of Energy Sites," Coats, D.W. , and Murray, R.C., Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, 1985.
2. NUREG/CR-4461, "Tornado Climatology of the Contiguous United States," Ramsdell, J.V. and Andrew, G.L., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, May 1986.
3. NUREG/CR-3882, "A Method to Characterize Local Meteorology at Nuclear Facilities for Application to Emergency Response Needs," Lindsey, C.G. and Glantz, C.S., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, April 1986.
4. NUREG/CR-3759 , "Lightning Strike Density for the Contiguous United States from Thunderstorm Duration Records," MacGorman, D.R. et al., National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, May 1984.
5. NUREG/CR-3670, "Violent Tornado Climatology, 1880-1892," Grazulis, T.P., Environmental Films, Inc., May 1984.
6. NUREG/CR-2890, "Historic Extreme Winds for the United States - Great Lakes and Adjacent Regions," Changery, M.J., National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, August 1982.
7. NUREG/CR-2639, "Historical Extreme Winds for the United States - Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico Coastlines," Changery, M.J., National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, May 1982.
8. NUREG/CR-2359, "Atmospheric Structure Prior to Tornadoes as Derived from Proximity and Precedent Upper Air Soundings," Taylor, G.E. et al., University of Missouri, May 1982.
9. NUREG/CR-2557, "Simulated Tornado Wind Fields and Damage Patterns," Metcalf, D.R. et al., Texas Tech. University, February 1982.
10. NUREG/CR-2252, "National Thunderstorm Frequencies for the Contiguous United States," Changery, M.J., National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, November 1981.
11. NUREG/CR- 1390, "Probability Estimates of Temperature Extremes for the Contiguous United States," National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, May 1980.

12. NUREG/CR-1389, "Estimating Water Equivalent Snow Depth from Related Meteorological Variables," National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, May 1980.

C. Background Information, Atmospheric Transport and Diffusion.

1. NUREG/CR-3368, "Diffusion Rates for Elevated Releases," Ramsdell, J.V., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, November 1983.

2. NUREG/CR-3250, "Atmospheric Transport and Diffusion Mechanisms in Coastal Circulation Systems," Kaleel, R.J. et al., TRC Environmental Consultants, Inc., June 1983.

3. NUREG/CR-3149, "Dispersion Coefficients for Coastal Regions," MacRae, B.L. et al., TRC Environmental Consultants, Inc., March 1983.

4. NUREG/CR-2754, "Critical Review of Studies on Atmospheric Dispersion in Coastal Regions," Shearer, D.L. et al., TRC Environmental Consultants, Inc., September 1982.

5. NUREG/CR-2521, "Method for Estimating Wake Flow and Effluent Dispersion Near Simple Block-Like Buildings," Hosker, R.P., National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration, June 1982.

6. NUREG/CR-2260, "Technical Basis for Regulatory Guide 1.145, Atmospheric Dispersion Models for Potential Accident Consequence Assessments at Nuclear Power Plants," Snell, W.G. and Jubach, R.W., NUS Corporation, October 1981.

7. NUREG/CR-1473, "The Wake and Diffusion Structure Behind a Model Industrial Complex," Kothari, K.M., Colorado State University, November 1981.

8. NUREG/CR-1835, "Application of LIDAR Techniques to Estimating Atmospheric Dispersion," SRI International, December 1980.

9. AP-101, "Mixing Heights, Wind Speeds and Potential for Urban Air Pollution Throughout the Contiguous United States," Holzworth, G.C., Office of Air Programs, USEPA, January 1972.

## 2.4 HYDROLOGIC ENGINEERING

Criteria for hydrologic design considerations such as flooding and ground water considerations are identified in this section.

#### **2.4.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

- A. 10 CFR 60.24, "Updating of Application and Environmental Report."
- B. 10 CFR 60.122, "Siting Criteria."
- C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- D. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."
- E. 10 CFR 61.53, "Environmental Monitoring."
- F. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- G. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."
- H. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."
- I. 10 CFR 72.94, "Design Basis External Man-Induced Events."
- J. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."
- K. 10 CFR 100.10, "Factors to Be Considered When Evaluating Sites."
- L. 10 CFR 100 Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

#### **2.4.2 Regulatory Guides**

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.8, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Uranium Mills."
- B. Regulatory Guide 3.40, "Design Basis Floods for Fuel Reprocessing Plants and for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- C. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

F. Regulatory Guide 4.9, "Preparation of Environmental Reports for Commercial Uranium Enrichment Facilities."

G. Regulatory Guide 4.17, "Standard Format and Content of Site Characterization Plans for High-Level Waste Geologic Repositories."

H. Regulatory Guide 4.18, "Standard Format and Content of Environmental Reports for Near-Surface Disposal of Radioactive Waste."

I. Regulatory Guide 4.19, "Guidance for Selecting Sites for Near-Surface Disposal of Low-Level Radioactive Waste."

### **2.4.3 Codes and Standards**

A. ANSI/ANS 2.8, 1981, "Determining Design Basis Flooding at Power Reactor Sites."

B. ANSI/ANS 2.17-1980 (R1989), "Evaluation of Radionuclide Transport in Ground Water for Nuclear Power Sites."

C. ANSI/ANS 2.19-1981 (R1990), "Guidelines for Establishing Site-Related Parameters for Site Selection and Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

### **2.4.4 Supplementary Information**

A. Background Information, General Hydrology.

1. Reports of the Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army. (These reports address many specific hydrology-related topics.)

2. Hydrometeorological Reports and Technical Papers of the U.S. Weather Bureau (now U.S. Weather Service, NOAA), Hydrometeorological Branch. (These reports address many specific hydrology related topics.)

3. NUREG/CR-4496, "A System for Generating Long Stream flow Records for Study of Floods of Long Return Period," Linsley, R.K. et al., Linsley, Kraeger and Associates, Ltd., February 1986.

4. NUREG/CR-4251, "Mitigative Techniques for Ground Water Contamination Associated with Severe Nuclear Accidents," Oberlander, P.L. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, August 1985.

5. NUREG/CR-2803, "Improved Field Experimental Designs and Quantitative Evaluations of Aquatic Ecosystems," McKenzie, D.H. and Thomas, J.M., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, May 1984.

6. NUREG/CR-3583, "Evaluation of Low-Altitude Remote Sensing Techniques for Obtaining Site Characterization Information," Estes, J.E. et al., University of California at Santa Barbara, April 1984.

7. NUREG/CR-3392, "Process Notebook for Aquatic Ecosystem Simulation," Sullivan, P.J. et al., University of Washington, July 1983.

8. NUREG/CR-3247, "Site Characterization Information Using LANDSAT and other Remote Sensing Data - Integration of Remote Sensing Data with Geographic Information Systems," Campbell, W.J. and Imhoff, M.L., National Aeronautics and Space Administration, June 1983.

9. NUREG/CR-3055, "Review and Evaluation of Paleohydrologic Methodologies," Foley, M.G. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, December 1982.

10. NUREG/CR-2016, "A Review of Parameter Sensitivity Methods Applicable to Ecosystem Models," Rose, K.A., University of Washington, May 1981.

B. Background Information, Specific Hydrological Conditions.

1. UCRL-21045, "Preliminary Flood Hazard Estimates for Screening Department of Energy Sites," McCann, M.W. and Boissonnade, A.C., Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, 1988.

2. UCRL-15746, "Natural Phenomena Hazards Modeling Project: Flood Hazard Models for Department of Energy Sites," Savy, J.B. and Murray, R.C., Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, 1988.

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- B. 10 CFR 60.17, "Contents of Site Characterization Plan."
- C. 10 CFR 60.18, "Review of Site Characterization Activities."

- D. 10 CFR 60.24, "Updating of Application and Environmental Report."
- E. 10 CFR 60.122, "Siting Criteria."
- F. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- G. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."
- H. 10 CFR 61.53, "Environmental Monitoring."
- I. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- J. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."
- K. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."
- L. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."
- M. 10 CFR 72.102, "Geological and Seismological Characteristics."
- N. 10 CFR 100.10, "Factors to Be Considered When Evaluating Sites."
- O. 10 CFR 100, Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

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- D. Regulatory Guide 4.18, "Standard Format and Content of Environmental Reports for Near-Surface Disposal of Radioactive Waste."
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**CHAPTER 3****DESIGN OF STRUCTURES, COMPONENTS,  
EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS**

This chapter identifies the principal architectural and engineering criteria for the design of structures, components, equipment, and systems important to safety.

**3.1 CONFORMANCE WITH NRC GENERAL DESIGN CRITERIA**

Criteria for establishing the general design criteria for items important to safety are identified in this section.

**3.1.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

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B. 10 CFR 50, Appendix F, "Policy Relating to the Siting of Fuel Reprocessing Plants and Related Waste Management Facilities."

C. 10 CFR 60.101, "Purpose and Nature of Findings."

D. 10 CFR 60.102, "Concepts."

E. 10 CFR 60.130, "Scope of Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

F. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

G. 10 CFR 60.132, "Additional Design Criteria for Surface Facilities in the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

H. 10 CFR 60.133, "Additional Design Criteria for the Underground Facility."

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J. 10 CFR 60.135, "Criteria for the Waste Package and its Components."

K. 10 CFR 61.51, "Disposal Site Design for Land Disposal."

L. 10 CFR 61.52, "Land Disposal Facility Operation and Disposal Site Closure."

M. 10 CFR 61.54, "Alternative Requirements for Design and Operations."

N. 10 CFR 72.120, "General Considerations."

O. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

P. 10 CFR 72.124, "Criteria for Nuclear Criticality Safety."

Q. 10 CFR 72.126, "Criteria for Radiological Protection."

R. 10 CFR 72.128, "Criteria for Spent Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste, and Other Radioactive Waste Storage and Handling."

S. 10 CFR 72.130, "Criteria for Decommissioning."

### **3.1.2 Regulatory Guides**

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B. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

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### **3.1.3 Codes and Standards**

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#### **3.1.4 Supplementary Information**

None.

### **3.2 CLASSIFICATION OF STRUCTURES, COMPONENTS, EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS**

Criteria for classifying seismic systems are identified in this section.

#### **3.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

B. 10 CFR 72.120, "General Considerations."

C. 10 CFR 100, Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

#### **3.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

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B. Regulatory Guide 3.14, "Seismic Design Classification for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

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- C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- D. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- E. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."
- F. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."
- G. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."
- H. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
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- C. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- F. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

H. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

I. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

J. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, (Water Basin Type)."

K. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

L. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

### **3.3.3 Codes and Standards**

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B. ANSI/ANS 57.7-1988, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Pool Type)."

C. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."

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B. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

D. 10 CFR 61.50, "Disposal Site Suitability Requirements for Land Disposal."

E. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."

F. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."

G. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."

H. 10 CFR 72.94, "Design Basis External Man-Induced Events."

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J. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

K. 10 CFR 100, Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

### 3.4.2 Regulatory Guides

A. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.11, "Design, Construction, and Inspection of Embankment Retention Systems for Uranium Mills."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

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G. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

H. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

### 3.4.3 Codes and Standards

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- B. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."
- C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- D. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- E. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."
- F. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."
- G. 10 CFR 72.94, "Design Basis External Man-Induced Events."
- H. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."
- I. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

### 3.5.2 Regulatory Guides

A. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

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I. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation, (Water Basin Type)."

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### **3.6 SEISMIC DESIGN**

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#### **3.6.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

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B. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

D. 10 CFR 70.22, "Contents of Applications."

E. 10 CFR 70.23, "Requirements for the Approval of Applications."

- F. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- G. 10 CFR 72.90, "General Considerations."
- H. 10 CFR 72.92, "Design Basis External Natural Events."
- I. 10 CFR 72.98, "Identifying Regions Around an ISFSI or MRS Site."
- J. 10 CFR 72.102 "Geological and Seismological Characteristics."
- K. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
- L. 10 CFR 100, Appendix A, "Seismic and Geologic Siting Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants."

### **3.6.2 Regulatory Guides**

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- B. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- C. Regulatory Guide 3.14, "Seismic Design Classification for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.17, "Earthquake Instrumentation for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- F. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- G. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- H. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- I. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
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- F. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
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- L. 10 CFR 72.102, "Geological and Seismological Characteristics."
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- N. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
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### **3.8.2 Regulatory Guides**

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3. ANSI/NFPA 20-1990, "Centrifugal Fire Pumps."

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### **3.10.2 Regulatory Guides**

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- E. 10 CFR 60.51, "License Amendment for Permanent Closure."
- F. 10 CFR 60.52, "Termination of License."
- G. 10 CFR 60.61, "Provision of Information."
- H. 10 CFR 60.102, "Concepts."
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- L. 10 CFR 61.14, "Institutional Information."
- M. 10 CFR 61.23, "Standards for Issuance of a License."
- N. 10 CFR 61.24, "Conditions of Licenses."
- O. 10 CFR 61.28, "Contents of Application for Closure."
- P. 10 CFR 61.29, "Post Closure Observation and Maintenance."
- Q. 10 CFR 61.30, "Transfer of License."
- R. 10 CFR 61.31, "Termination of License."
- S. 10 CFR 61.40, "General Requirement."
- T. 10 CFR 61.42, "Protection of Individuals From Inadvertent Intrusion."
- U. 10 CFR 61.44, "Stability of the Disposal Site After Closure."
- V. 10 CFR 61.52, "Land Disposal Facility Operation and Disposal Site Closure."
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### **3.11.2 Regulatory Guides**

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### **3.11.3 Codes and Standards**

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## CHAPTER 4

### ENGINEERED SAFETY FEATURES AND SAFETY-RELATED PROCESS SYSTEM FEATURES

This chapter identifies criteria for engineered safety features and the system design features and characteristics that are commonly used to prevent and limit the consequences of postulated accidents.

#### 4.1 CONFINEMENT SYSTEM

Criteria for the barrier and its associated systems between areas of a NNF and the environment are identified in this section.

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- B. 10 CFR 60.133, "Additional Design Criteria for the Underground Facility.
- C. 10 CFR 60.134, "Design of Seals for Shafts and Boreholes."
- D. 10 CFR 60.135, "Criteria for the Waste Package and its Components."
- E. 10 CFR 61.51, "Disposal Site Design for Land Disposal."
- F. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
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C. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.30, "Selection, Application, and Inspection of Protective Coatings (Paint) for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems in Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

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#### **4.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

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- B. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

#### **4.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

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- B. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- c. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Basin Type)."
- F. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

#### **4.2.3 Codes and Standards**

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- B. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."
- C. ANSI/ANS 59.2-1985, "Safety Criteria for HVAC Systems Located Outside Primary Containment."
- D. ANSI N101.1-1972, "Efficiency Testing of Air Cleaning Systems Containing Devices for Removal of Particles."
- E. ANSI N303-1978, "Guide for Control of Gasborne Radioactive Materials at Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing Facilities."
- F. ANSI/ASME AG-1, "ASME Code on Nuclear Air and Gas Treatment."
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- I. IES-RP-CC-001-86, "HEPA Filters."
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- M. MIL-F-51079A, "Filter Medium, Fire-Resistant, High-Efficiency."
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- B. NUREG/CR-1599, "Iodine, Krypton and Xenon Retention Efficiencies of Silver-Impregnated Silica Gel Media with Different Silver Loadings and Under Different Test Conditions," Motes, B.G. et al., Idaho National Engineering Laboratory, May 1983.
- C. NUREG/CR-2565, "Structural Performance of HEPA Filters Under Simulated Tornado Conditions," Horak, H.L. and Smith, P.R., Los Alamos National Laboratory, May 1982.
- D. IE Information Notice No. 85-31, "Buildup of Enriched Uranium in Ventilation Ducts and Associated Effluent Treatment Systems," USNRC.

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### **4.3 NUCLEAR CRITICALITY SAFETY**

General criteria for nuclear criticality safety are identified in this section.

#### **4.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

B. 10 CFR 70.24, "Criticality Accident Requirements."

C. 10 CFR 72.124, "Criteria for Nuclear Criticality Safety."

#### **4.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.1, "Use of Borosilicate-Glass Raschig Rings as a Neutron Absorber in Solutions of Fissile Material."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.4, "Nuclear Criticality Safety in Operations With Fissionable Materials at Fuels and Materials Facilities."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.43, "Nuclear Criticality Safety in the Storage of Fissile Materials."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.45, "Nuclear Criticality Safety for Steel-Pipe Intersections Containing Aqueous Solutions of Fissile Materials."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.47, "Nuclear Criticality Control and Safety of Homogeneous Plutonium-Uranium Fuel Mixtures Outside Reactors."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.58, "Criticality Safety for Handling, Storing, and Transporting LWR Fuel at Fuels and Materials Facilities."

G. Regulatory Guide 8.12, "Criticality Accident Alarm System."

#### 4.3.3 Codes and Standards

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B. ANSI/ANS 8.3-1986, "Criticality Accident Alarm System."

C. ANSI/ANS 8.5-1986, "Use of Borosilicate-Glass Raschig Rings as a Neutron Absorber in Solutions of Fissile Material."

D. ANSI/ANS 8.6-1983 (R1988), "Safety in Conducting Subcritical Neutron-Multiplication Measurements In Situ."

E. ANSI/ANS 8.7-1975 (R1987), "Guide for Nuclear Criticality Safety in the Storage of Fissile Materials."

F. ANSI/ANS 8.9-1987, "Nuclear Criticality Safety Criteria for Steel-Pipe Intersections Containing Aqueous Solutions of Fissile Material."

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H. ANSI/ANS 8.12-1978, "Nuclear Criticality Control and Safety of Plutonium-Uranium Fuel Mixtures Outside Reactors." (This standard was revised and issued as ANSI/ANS 8.12-1987, "Nuclear Criticality Control and Safety of Plutonium-Uranium Fuel Mixtures Outside Reactors.")

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J. ANSI/ANS 8.17-1984 (R1989), "Criticality Safety Criteria for the Handling, Storage, and Transportation of LWR Fuel Outside Reactors."

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E. NUREG/CR-2517, "Effect of Radiolytic Gas on Nuclear Excursions in Aqueous Solutions," Forehand, H.M., University of Arizona, January 1982.

F. NUREG/CR-2127, "Improved Criticality Search Techniques for Low- and High-Enriched Systems," Lorek, M.J., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, August 1981.

G. NUREG/CR-1616, "The Effect of Reflector Location on Array Criticality," Oak Ridge National Laboratory, December 1980.

H. NUREG/CR-1615, "Solid Angle and Surface Density as Criticality Parameters," Oak Ridge National Laboratory, October 1980.

I. NUREG/CR-0095, "Nuclear Safety Guide, TID-7016," Rev. 2, USDOE, 1978.

J. ARH-600, "Criticality Handbook" (3 volumes), Carter, R.D. et al., Atlantic Richfield Hanford Company, June 28, 1968.

K. DP-104, "Critical and Safe Masses and Dimensions of Lattices of U and UO<sub>2</sub> Rods in Water," Clark, H.K., Savannah River Laboratory, February 1966.

L. HW-81460, "Technical Criteria for the Prevention of Criticality," Frank, W.S., U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Hanford Atomic Products Operation, April 8, 1964.

M. HW-68929, "Nuclear Safety in Chemical and Metallurgical Processing of Plutonium," Clayton, E.D., U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Hanford Atomic Products Operation, April 1961.

N. LA-3366, "Criticality Control in Operations With Fissile Materials," Paxton, H.C., Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, November 1972.

O. ORNL/TM-6458, "Criticality Analysis of Aggregations of Actinides from Commercial Nuclear Waste in Geological Storage," Allen, E.J., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, August 1978.

P. TREE-1277, "Selection of a Criticality Monitoring Technique for a Transuranic Waste Incinerator," Nieschmidt, E.B. and Vegors, S.H., EG&G, Idaho, July 1978.

Q. NRC Information Notice No. 90-63, "Management Attention to the Establishment and Maintenance of a Nuclear Criticality Safety Program," USNRC.

R. NRC Information Notice No. 89-24, "Nuclear Criticality Safety," USNRC.

S. Information Notice No. 82-24, "Nuclear Criticality Safety," USNRC.

#### **4.4 COOLING WATER SYSTEMS**

Criteria for safety-related cooling water systems are identified in this section.

##### **4.4.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

B. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

C. 10 CFR 72.128, "Criteria for Spent Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste and Other Radioactive Waste Storage and Handling."

##### **4.4.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.54, "Spent Fuel Heat Generation in an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

#### **4.4.3 Codes and Standards**

A. ANSI/ANS 57.7-1988, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."

B. ANSI/ASME B31.1-1989, "Power Piping."

C. ANSI/AWWA D120-1984, "Thermosetting Fiberglass-Reinforced Plastic Tanks."

D. ANSI/ASME OM-1987, "Operation and Maintenance of Nuclear Power Plants," Part 2 - "Requirements for Performance Testing of Nuclear Power Plant Closed Cooling Water Systems."

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### **4.5 PROCESS SYSTEMS**

Criteria for safety-related process systems or portions of process systems are identified in this section.

#### **4.5.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.135, "Criteria for the Waste Package and its Components."

B. 10 CFR 61.55, "Waste Classification."

C. 10 CFR 61.56, "Waste Characteristics."

- D. 10 CFR 61.58 "Waste Classification and Characteristics."
- E. 10 CFR 70.58, "Fundamental Nuclear Material Controls."
- F. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
- G. 10 CFR 72.128, "Criteria for Spent Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste, and Other Radioactive Waste Storage and Handling."

#### **4.5.2 Regulatory Guides**

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.7, "Monitoring of Combustible Gases and Vapors in Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- B. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment System Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- C. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Facility."
- F. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."
- G. Regulatory Guide 5.8, "Design Considerations for Minimizing Residual Holdup of Special Nuclear Material in Drying and Fluidized Bed Operations," Rev. 1.
- H. Regulatory Guide 5.25, "Design Considerations for Minimizing Residual Holdup of Special Nuclear Material in Equipment for Wet Process Operations."
- I. Regulatory Guide 5.42, "Design Considerations for Minimizing Residual Holdup of Special Nuclear Material in Equipment for Dry Process Operations."

### 4.5.3 Codes and Standards

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B. ANSI/ASME OM-1987, "Operation and Maintenance of Nuclear Power Plants," Part 3 - "Requirements for Preoperational and Initial Startup Vibration Testing of Nuclear Power Plant Piping Systems."

C. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."

D. ANSI/ASTM C1010-1983 (R1988), "Standard Guide for Acceptance, Checkout, and Pre-Operational Testing of a Nuclear Fuels Reprocessing Facility."

E. ANSI/ASTM C1062-1986, "Standard Guide for Design, Fabrication, and Installation of Nuclear Fuel Dissolution Facilities."

F. ANSI/ASTM C1068-1986, "Standard Guide for Qualification of Measurement Methods by a Laboratory Within the Nuclear Industry."

G. ANSI/ASTM C1112-1988, "Standard Guide for Application of Radiation Monitors to the Control and Physical Security of Special Nuclear Material."

### 4.5.4 Supplementary Information

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C. NUREG/CR-4056, "Particulate and Gas Release from Light Water Reactor (LWR) Fuel Rods Stored in Inert and Dry Atmospheres," Oslon, C.S., EG&G, Inc., January 1985.

D. NUREG/CR-3798, "Characterization of Cement and Bitumen Waste Forms Containing Simulated Low-Level Waste Incinerator Ash," Westsik, J.H., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, August 1984.

E. NUREG/CR-3714, "On the Development of Environmental Radiation Standards for Geologic Disposal of High-Level Radioactive Wastes," Locher, D.C., July 1984.

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H. NUREG/CR-3489, "Assessment of Retrieval Alternatives for the Geologic Disposal of Nuclear Waste," Kendorski, F. et al., Engineers International, Inc., May 1984.

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J. NUREG/CR-2613, "Identification of Characteristics which Influence Repository Design - Domal Salt," Rawlings, G. et al., Golder Associates, April 1984.

K. NRC Information Notice No. 91-44, "Improper Control of Chemicals in Nuclear Fuel Fabrication," USNRC.

L. NRC Information Notice No. 89-78, "Failure of Packing Nuts on One-Inch Uranium Hexafluoride Cylinder Valves," USNRC.

M. NRC Information Notice No. 89-24, "Nuclear Criticality Safety," USNRC.

N. NRC Information Notice No. 87-48, "Gaps in Neutron-Absorbing Material in High-Density Spent Fuel Storage Racks," USNRC.

O. NRC Information Notice No. 87-26, "Cracks in Stiffening Rings on 48-Inch-Diameter UF<sub>6</sub> Cylinders," USNRC.



**CHAPTER 5**  
**INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS**

This chapter identifies criteria for safety class and nonsafety class instrumentation and control (I&C) systems, and safety class protection systems.

**5.1 SAFETY CLASS INSTRUMENTATION, CONTROLS, AND PROTECTION SYSTEMS**

This section identifies federal regulations, criteria, and regulatory guidelines considered relevant to the design and maintenance of safety class instrumentation, controls, and protection systems in nuclear facilities.

**5.1.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

- A. 10 CFR 50.36, "Technical Specifications."
- B. 10 CFR 50.55a, "Codes and Standards."
- C. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."
- D. 10 CFR 60.132, "Additional Design Criteria for Surface Facilities in the Geologic Repository Operations Area."
- E. 10 CFR 70.24, "Criticality Accident Requirements."
- F. 10 CFR 72.24, "Contents of Application; Technical Specifications."
- G. 10 CFR 72.120, "General Considerations."
- H. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."
- I. 10 CFR 72.124, "Criteria for Nuclear Criticality Safety."
- J. 10 CFR 72.126, "Criteria for Radiological Protection."

**5.1.2 USNRC Regulatory Guides, SRP Branch Technical Positions and Appendices**

- A. Regulatory Guide 1.12, "Instrumentation for Earthquakes."

B. Regulatory Guide 1.68.3, "Preoperational Testing of Instrument and Control Air Systems."

C. Regulatory Guide 1.75, "Physical Independence of Electric Systems."

D. Regulatory Guide 1.105, "Instrument Setpoints for Safety-Related Systems."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.6, "Content of Technical Specifications for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.7, "Monitoring of Combustible Gases and Vapors in Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment System Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

H. Regulatory Guide 3.17, "Earthquake Instrumentation for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

I. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

J. Regulatory Guide 3.22, "Periodic Testing of Fuel Reprocessing Plant Protection System Actuation Functions."

K. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."

L. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

M. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

N. Regulatory Guide 8.12, "Criticality Accident Alarm Systems."

### **5.1.3 Codes and Standards**

A. ANSI/ANS 57.7-1988, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Pool Type)."

B. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."

C. ANSI/ANS 59.3-1984, "Safety Criteria for Control Air Systems."

D. ANSI/IEEE 336-1985, "IEEE Standard for Installation, Inspection, and Testing Requirements for Power, Instrumentation and Control Equipment at Nuclear Facilities."

E. ANSI/IEEE 338-1987, "IEEE Standard Criteria for the Periodic Testing of Nuclear Power Generating Station Class 1E Power and Protection Systems."

F. ANSI/IEEE 379-1988, "IEEE Standard for Application of the Single Failure Criterion to Nuclear Power Generating Station Class 1E Systems."

G. ANSI/IEEE 384-1981, "IEEE Standard Criteria for Independence of Class 1E Equipment and Circuits."

H. ANSI/IEEE 603-1980, "IEEE Standard Criteria for Safety Systems for Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

I. ANSI/ISA-S67.02-1980, "Nuclear Safety-Related Instrument Sensing Line Piping and Tubing Standards for Use in Nuclear Power Plants."

J. ANSI/ISA-S67.04-1988, "Setpoints for Nuclear Safety-Related Instrumentation."

#### **5.1.4 Supplementary Information**

A. NUREG/CR-5519, "Aging of Control and Service Air Compressors and Dryers Used in Nuclear Power Plants," Moyers, J.C., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, July 1990.

B. NUREG/CR-4992, "Aging and Service Wear of Multi-stage Switches Used in Safety Systems of Nuclear Power Plants, Roberts, G.C. et al., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, September 1987.

C. NUREG/CR-4819, "Aging and Service Wear of Solenoid-Operated Valves Used in Safety Systems of Nuclear Power Plants," Bacanskas, V.P. et al., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, March 1987.

D. NUREG/CR-4715, "An Aging Assessment of Relays and Circuit Breakers and System Interactions," Franklin Research Center for Brookhaven National Laboratory, June 1987.

E. NUREG/CR-4461, "Human Factors in Annunciator Systems," Roscoe, B.J. and Weston, L.M., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, May 1986.

F. NUREG/CR-4227, "Human Engineering Guidelines for the Evaluation and Assessment of Visual Display Units," Gilmore, W.E., EG&G Idaho, Inc., July 1985.

G. NUREG/CR-3808, "Aging-Seismic Correlation Study on Class 1E Equipment," NUTECH Engineers for Sandia National Laboratory, September 1984.

H. NUREG/CR-3453, "Electronic Isolators Used in Safety Systems of U.S. Nuclear Power Plants," Nielsen, J.R., EG&G Idaho, Inc., March 1986.

I. NUREG/CR-2499, "Review of Emergency Instrumentation and Analysis Methods at NMSS-Licensed Sites," Herrington, W.N. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, August 1984.

J. Generic Letter 88-14, "Instrument Air Supply System Problems Affecting Safety-Related Equipment," USNRC, August 1988.

## **5.2 NONSAFETY CLASS INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL SYSTEMS**

This section lists regulatory design criteria and guidelines considered relevant to the design and maintenance of nonsafety class instrumentation and control (I&C) systems in nuclear facilities. Such facility I&C systems typically include process control systems and data acquisition and display systems not part of facility safety class I&C systems or protection systems. Where the operation or functional condition of a nonsafety class I&C system and/or component interfaces with or otherwise impacts the safety function of a safety class I&C system and/or component, the criteria identified in 5.1 must also be considered for design and maintenance activities.

### **5.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for Geological Repository Operations Area."

B. 10 CFR 70.23, "Requirements for the Approval of Applications."

### **5.2.2 USNRC Regulatory Guides, SRP Branch Technical Positions and Appendices**

A. Regulatory Guide 1.12, "Instrumentation for Earthquakes."

B. Regulatory Guide 1.23, "Onsite Meteorological Programs."

C. Regulatory Guide 1.75, "Physical Independence of Electric Systems."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

### **5.2.3 Codes and Standards**

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B. ANSI C2-1990, "National Electric Safety Code."

C. ANSI/IEEE 384-1981, "IEEE Standard Criteria for Independence of Class 1E Equipment and Circuits."

D. ANSI/NEMA ICS-1-1988, "General Standards for Industrial Control and Systems."

E. ANSI/NFPA 70-1990, "National Electric Code."

F. ANSI/UL-508-1988, "Industrial Control Equipment."

### **5.2.4 Supplementary Information**

None.



**CHAPTER 6****ELECTRIC POWER, UTILITY SERVICES, AND FIRE PROTECTION**

This chapter identifies criteria for electric power, utilities such as water and sewer service, and fire protection.

**6.1 ELECTRIC POWER**

Criteria for providing normal power and emergency power for safety-related systems are identified in this section.

**6.1.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

- A. 10 CFR 50.55a, "Codes and Standards."
- B. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."
- C. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

**6.1.2 Regulatory Guides**

- A. Regulatory Guide 1.108, "Periodic Testing of Diesel Generator Units Used as Onsite Electric Power Systems at Nuclear Power Plants."
- B. Regulatory Guide 3.14, "Seismic Design Classification for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- C. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

**6.1.3 Codes and Standards**

- A. Safety Class Electric Power Systems.
  - 1. ANSI/IEEE 308-1980, "IEEE Standard for Class 1E Power Systems for Nuclear Power Generating Stations."
  - 2. ANSI/IEEE 336-1985, "IEEE Standard for Installation, Inspection, and Testing Requirements for Power Instrumentation and Control Equipment at Nuclear Facilities."

3. ANSI/IEEE 338-1987, "IEEE Standard Criteria for the Periodic Testing of Nuclear Power Generating Station Class 1E Power and Protection Systems."

4. ANSI/IEEE 379-1988, "IEEE Standard for the Application of the Single Failure Criterion to Nuclear Power Generating Station Safety Systems."

5. ANSI/IEEE 384-1981, "IEEE Standard Criteria for Independence of Class 1E Equipment and Circuits."

6. ANSI/IEEE 420-1982, "IEEE Standard for the Design and Qualification of Class 1E Control Boards, Panels, and Racks Used in Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

7. ANSI/IEEE 450-1987, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Maintenance, Testing and Replacement of Large Lead Storage Batteries for Generating Stations and Substations."

8. ANSI/IEEE 484-1987, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Installation Design and Installation of Large Lead Storage Batteries for Generating Stations and Substations."

9. ANSI/IEEE 690-1984, "IEEE Standard for Design and Installation of Cable Systems for Class 1E Circuits in Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

10. ANSI/IEEE 741-1986, "IEEE Standard Criteria for the Protection of Class 1E Power Systems and Equipment in Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

11. ANSI/IEEE 749-1983, "IEEE Standard for Periodic Testing of Diesel-Generator Units Applied as Standby Power Supplies at Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

12. ANSI/IEEE 946-1985, "IEEE Standard for the Design of Safety-Related DC Auxiliary Power Systems for Nuclear Power Generating Stations."

B. Nonsafety Class Electric Power Systems.

1. ANSI C2-1990, "National Electric Safety Code."

2. ANSI/IEEE 141-1986, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Electric Power Distribution for Industrial Plants (Red Book)."

3. ANSI/IEEE 142-1982, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Grounding of Industrial and Commercial Power Systems (Green Book)."

4. ANSI/IEEE 241-1983, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Electric Power Systems in Commercial Buildings (Gray Book)."

5. ANSI/IEEE 242-1986, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Protection and Coordination of Industrial and Commercial Power Systems (Buff Book)."

6. ANSI/IEEE 399-1980, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Power System Analysis (Brown Book)."

7. ANSI/IEEE 446-1987, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Emergency and Standby Power Systems for Industrial and Commercial Applications (Orange Book)."

8. ANSI/IEEE 493-1980, "IEEE Recommended Practice for Design of Reliable Industrial and Commercial Power Systems (Gold Book)."

9. ANSI/NFPA 70-1990, "National Electric Code."

#### **6.1.4 Supplementary Information**

##### **A. Safety Class Electric Power Systems.**

1. NUREG/CR-5051, "Detecting and Mitigating Battery Charger and Inverter Aging," Gunther, W.E., Lewis, R., and Subudhi, M., Brookhaven National Laboratory, August 1988.

2. NUREG/CR-4659, "Seismic Fragility of Nuclear Power Plant Components (Phase II)," Brookhaven National Laboratory, February 1990.

3. NUREG/CR-4564, "Operating Experience and Aging - Seismic Assessment of Battery Chargers and Inverters," Gunther, W.E., Subudhi, M., and Taylor, J.H., Brookhaven National Laboratory, June 1986.

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5. NUREG/CR-4156, "Operating Experience and Aging - Seismic Assessment of Electric Motors," Subudhi, M., Burns, E.L., and Taylor, J.H., Brookhaven National Laboratory, June 1985.

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Criteria for nonsafety-related services such as ventilation, compressed air, water and sewage systems are identified in this section.

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B. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

### **6.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.14, "Seismic Design Classification for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

### **6.2.3 Codes and Standards**

None.

### **6.2.4 Supplementary Information**

None.

### **6.3 FIRE PROTECTION**

Criteria for facility design features and characteristics that provide for fire protection as well as fire detection, alarm, and extinguishing systems are identified in this section.

#### **6.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area.

B. 10 CFR 70.23, "Requirements for Approval of Application."

C. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

#### **6.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

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B. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems of Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants.

C. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.18, "Confinement Barriers and Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.31, "Emergency Water Supply Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

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E. ACI Special Publication SP-92, "Evaluation and Repair of Fire Damage to Concrete."

F. ASTM Fire Test Standards, 2nd Edition.

G. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP-614, "Fire Standards and Safety."

H. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP-685, "Design of Buildings for Fire Safety."

I. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP 762, "Fire Risk Assessment."

J. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP 816, "Behavior of Polymeric Materials in Fire."

K. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP 882, "Fire Safety: Science and Engineering."

L. ASTM Special Technical Publication STP 983, "Mathematical Modeling of Fire."

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D. NUREG/CR-2409, "Requirements for Establishing Detector Siting Criteria in Fires Involving Electrical Materials," Boccio, J.L., Sandia National Laboratories, September 1982.

E. NUREG/CR-2431, "Burn Mode Analysis of Horizontal Cable Tray Fires," Schmidt, W.H., Sandia National Laboratories, April 1982.

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G. NUREG/CR-1798, "Acceptance and Verification of Early Warning Fire Detection Systems," Boccio, J.L. et al., Brookhaven National Laboratory, March 1981.

H. NUREG/CR-1552, "Development and Verification of Fire Tests for Cable Systems and System Components," Underwriters Laboratories, September 1980.

I. IE Information Notice 87-14, "Actuation of Fire Suppression System Causing Inoperability of Safety-Related Ventilation Equipment," USNRC.

J. NRC Information Notice 88-56, "Potential Problems With Silicone Foam Fire Barrier Penetration Seals," USNRC.

K. NRC Information Notice 89-52, "Potential Fire Damper Operational Problems," USNRC.



**CHAPTER 7****RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT**

This chapter identifies criteria for the control, collection, handling, processing, storage, and disposal of liquid, gaseous, and solid wastes that may contain radioactive materials, and the instrumentation used to monitor the release of radioactive materials. Also included are EPA regulations for hazardous and radioactive waste management pursuant to the Resource Conservation Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976.

**7.1 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

A. 10 CFR 60.132, "Additional Design Criteria for Surface Facilities in the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

B. 10 CFR 70.59, "Effluent Monitoring Reporting Requirements."

C. 10 CFR 72.104, "Criteria for Radioactive Materials in Effluents and Direct Radiation from an ISFSI or MRS."

D. 10 CFR 72.128, "Criteria for Spent Fuel, High-Level Radioactive Waste, and Other Radioactive Waste Storage and Handling."

E. 40 CFR 260, "Hazardous Waste Management System."

F. 40 CFR 261, "Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste."

G. 40 CFR 262, "Standards Applicable to Generators of Hazardous Waste."

H. 40 CFR 263, "Standards Applicable to Transporters of Hazardous Waste."

I. 40 CFR 264, "Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facilities."

J. 40 CFR 265, "Interim Status Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous Waste Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facilities."

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B. Regulatory Guide 1.143, "Design Guidance for Radioactive Waste Management Systems, Structures, and Components Installed in Light-Water-Cooled Nuclear Power Plants."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

D. Regulatory Guide 3.13, "Guide for Acceptable Waste Storage Methods at UF<sub>6</sub> Production Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water-Basin Type)."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

## 7.3 CODES AND STANDARDS

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B. ANSI/ANS 57.7-1988, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Pool Type)."

C. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."

D. ANSI/ASME N510-1980, "Testing of Nuclear Air Cleaning Systems."

E. ANSI N42.18-1980 (R1985), "Specification and Performance of On-Site Instrumentation for Continuously Monitoring Radioactivity in Effluents."

F. ANSI N303-1978, "Guide for Control of Gasborne Radioactive Materials at Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing Facilities."

G. ANSI N305-1975 (R1981), "Design Objectives for Highly Radioactive Solid Material Handling and Storage Facilities in a Reprocessing Plant."

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D. NUREG/CR-2721, "Scoping Study of the Alternatives for Managing Waste Containing Chelating Decontamination Chemicals," Brookhaven National Laboratory, February 1984.

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F. PNL-3109, "Spray Calcination/In-Can Melting: Effluent Characterization and Treatment," Hansom, M.S., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, March 1980.

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H. PNL-2786, "Processing of Waste Solutions from Electrochemical Decontamination," Charlot, L.A., et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, September 1979.

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## CHAPTER 8

### RADIATION PROTECTION

The criteria identified in this chapter are for the radiation protection of operating, construction, and maintenance personnel during normal and anticipated operational occurrences. The compilation includes criteria for facility equipment design and programs to minimize and monitor radiation exposure to meet the standards for protection against radiation of 10 CFR 20.

#### 8.1        **ASSURING THAT OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURES ARE AS LOW AS REASONABLY ACHIEVABLE**

##### 8.1.1     **Code of Federal Regulations**

- A.    10 CFR 19.12, "Instructions to Workers."
- B.    10 CFR 20, "Standards for Protection Against Radiation."
- C.    10 CFR 60.111, "Performance of the Geologic Repository Operations Area Through Permanent Closure."
- D.    10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."
- E.    10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- F.    10 CFR 61.41, "Protection of the General Population From Releases of Radioactivity."
- G.    10 CFR 61.43, "Protection of Individuals During Operations."
- H.    10 CFR 72.44, "License Conditions."
- I.    10 CFR 72.104, "Criteria for Radioactive Materials in Effluents and Direct Radiation from an ISFSI or MRS."
- J.    10 CFR 72.126, "Criteria for Radiological Protection."

##### 8.1.2     **Regulatory Guides**

**Note:** Regulatory Guides listed in Chapter 1 (Subsection 1.3.2) all contain criteria for radiation protection.

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.6, "Content of Technical Specifications for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- B. Regulatory Guide 8.1, "Radiation Symbol."
- C. Regulatory Guide 8.2, "Administrative Practices in Radiation Monitoring."
- D. Regulatory Guide 8.10, "Operating Philosophy for Maintaining Occupational Radiation Exposures as Low as is Reasonably Achievable."
- E. Regulatory Guide 8.24, "Health Physics Surveys During Enriched Uranium Processing and Fuel Fabrication."

### **8.1.3 Codes and Standards**

- A. ANSI N2.1-1989, "Radiation Symbol."
- B. ANSI N12.1-1989, "Fissile Material Symbol."
- C. ANSI N13.2-1969 (R1982), "Guide for Administrative Practices in Radiation Monitoring."
- D. ANSI N43.2-1988 (R1989), "Radiation Safety for X-Ray Diffraction and Fluorescence Analysis Equipment."
- E. ANSI N43.3-1989, "General Safety Standard for Installations Using Non-Medical X-Ray and Sealed Gamma-Ray Sources, Energies Up to 10 MeV."

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- A. NCRP Report No. 8 (NBS Handbook 50), "Control and Removal of Radioactive Contamination in Laboratories," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.
- B. NCRP Report No. 38, "Protection Against Neutron Radiation," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.
- C. NCRP Report NO. 39, "Basic Radiation Protection Criteria," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.
- D. NCRP Report No. 59, "Operational Radiation Safety Program," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.
- E. NCRP Report No. 65, "Management of Persons Accidentally Contaminated with Radionuclides," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.

F. NCRP Report No. 71, "Operational Radiation Safety Training," National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements.

G. NUREG-0041, "Manual of Respiratory Protection Against Airborne Radioactive Materials," USNRC, October 1976.

H. NUREG-0914, "Radiological Containment Handbook," U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, October 1982.

I. NUREG-1127, "Radiation Protection Training at Uranium Hexafluoride and Fuel Fabrication Plants," Brodsky, A. et al., U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, May 1985.

J. NUREG/CR-3343, "Recommended Radiation Protection Practices for Low-Level Waste Disposal Sites," Hadlock, D.E. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, December 1983.

K. NUREG/CR-3125, "Current Practices for Maintaining Occupational Exposures ALARA at Low-Level Waste Disposal Sites," Hadlock, D.E. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, December 1983.

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N. IE Information Notice No. 83-73, "Radiation Exposure from Gloves Contaminated with Uranium Daughter Products," USNRC.

O. NRC Information Notice No. 90-33, "Sources of Unexpected Occupational Radiation Exposures at Spent Fuel Storage Pools," USNRC.

P. NRC Information Notice No. 90-47, "Unplanned Radiation Exposures to Personnel Extremities Due to Improper Handling of Potentially Highly Radioactive Sources," USNRC.

## **8.2 RADIATION PROTECTION DESIGN FEATURES**

### **8.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 20.1, "Purpose."

B. 10 CFR 20.101, "Radiation Dose Standards for Individuals in Restricted Areas."

C. 10 CFR 20.103, "Exposure of Individuals to Concentrations of Radioactive Materials in Air in Restricted Areas."

D. 10 CFR 20.104, "Exposure of Minors."

E. 10 CFR 20.203, "Caution Signs, Labels, Signals, and Controls."

F. 10 CFR 20.207, "Storage and Control of Licensed Materials in Unrestricted Areas."

G. 10 CFR 60.131, "General Design Criteria for the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

H. 10 CFR 60.132, "Additional Design Criteria for Surface Facilities in the Geologic Repository Operations Area."

I. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

J. 10 CFR 70.24, "Criticality Accident Requirements."

K. 10 CFR 72.122, "Overall Requirements."

L. 10 CFR 72.124, "Criteria for Nuclear Criticality Safety."

M. 10 CFR 72.126, "Criteria for Radiological Protection."

### **8.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.9, "Concrete Radiation Shields."

B. Regulatory Guide 8.5, "Criticality and Other Interior Evacuation Signals."

C. Regulatory Guide 8.12, "Criticality Accident Alarm Systems."

### **8.2.3 Codes and Standards**

A. ANSI/ACI 349-85, "Code Requirements for Nuclear Safety-Related Concrete Structures."

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#### **8.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

A. 10 CFR 20.102, "Determination of Prior Dose."

B. 10 CFR 20.202, "Personnel Monitoring."

C. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."

D. 10 CFR 61.13, "Technical Analyses."

E. 10 CFR 72.106, "Controlled Area of an ISFSI or MRS."

F. 10 CFR 72.124, "Criteria for Nuclear Criticality Safety."

G. 10 CFR 72.126, "Criteria for Radiological Protection."

### **8.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 4.16, "Monitoring and Reporting Radioactivity in Releases of Radioactive Material in Liquid and Gaseous Effluents of Nuclear Fuel Processing and Fabrication Plants and Uranium Hexafluoride Production Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 8.2, "Guide for Administrative Practices in Radiation Monitoring."

C. Regulatory Guide 8.3, "Film Badge Performance Criteria."

D. Regulatory Guide 8.4, "Direct Reading and Indirect Reading Pocket Dosimeters."

E. Regulatory Guide 8.5, "Criticality and other Interior Evacuation Signals."

F. Regulatory Guide 8.9, "Acceptable Concepts, Models, Equations, and Assumptions for a Bioassay Program."

G. Regulatory Guide 8.11, "Applications of Bioassay for Uranium."

H. Regulatory Guide 8.12, "Criticality Accident Alarm Systems."

I. Regulatory Guide 8.13, "Instruction Concerning Prenatal Radiation Exposure."

J. Regulatory Guide 8.14, "Personnel Neutron Dosimeters."

K. Regulatory Guide 8.20, "Applications of Bioassay for I-125 and I-131."

L. Regulatory Guide 8.21, "Health Physics Surveys for Byproduct Material at NRC-Licensed Processing and Manufacturing Plants."

M. Regulatory Guide 8.24, "Health Physics Surveys During Enriched U-235 Processing and Fuel Fabrication."

N. Regulatory Guide 8.26, "Applications of Bioassay for Fission and Activation Products."

O. Regulatory Guide 8.28, "Audible Alarm Dosimeters."

P. Regulatory Guide 8.32, "Criteria for Establishing a Tritium Bioassay Program."

### 8.3.3 Codes and Standards

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B. ANSI N13.2-1969 (R1982), "A Guide for Administrative Practices in Radiation Monitoring."

C. ANSI N13.3-1969 (R1982), "Dosimetry for Criticality Accidents."

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E. ANSI N13.5-1972 (R1989), "Performance Specifications for Direct-Reading and Indirect-Reading Pocket Dosimeters for X-Ray and Gamma Radiation."

F. ANSI N13.7-1983 (R1989), "Criteria for Photographic Film Dosimeter Performance."

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H. ANSI N13.15-1985, "Performance of Personnel Thermoluminescence Dosimetry Systems."

I. ANSI N13.27-1981, "Performance Requirements for Pocket-Sized Alarm Dosimeters and Alarm Ratemeters."

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K. ANSI N42.13-1986, "Calibration and Usage of Dose Calibrator Ionization Chambers for the Assay of Radionuclides."

L. ANSI N42.14-1978 (R1985), "Calibration and Usage of Germanium Detectors for Measurements of Gamma-Ray Emission of Radionuclides."

M. ANSI N42.15-1990, "Performance Verification of Liquid-Scintillation Counting Systems."

N. ANSI N42.16-1986, "Specification for Sealed Radioactive Check Sources Used in Liquid Scintillation Counters."

O. ANSI N42.18-1980 (R1985), "Specification and Performance of On-Site Instrumentation for Continuously Monitoring Radioactivity in Effluents."

P. ANSI N317-1980 (R1985), "Performance Criteria for Instrumentation Used for Inplant Plutonium Monitoring."

Q. ANSI N319-1976 (R1984), "Personnel Neutron Dosimeters (Neutron Energies Less Than 20 MeV)."

R. ANSI N322-1977 (R1983), "Inspection and Test Specifications for Direct and Indirect Reading Quartz Fiber Pocket Dosimeters."

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U. ANSI N545-1975 (R1982), "Performance, Testing, and Procedural Specifications for Thermoluminescence Dosimetry (Environmental Applications)."

V. ANSI/ASTM C998-83, "Sampling Surface Soil for Radionuclides."

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**CHAPTER 9****CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS**

The criteria identified in this chapter address training, emergency planning, plant procedures, and the maintenance of records and reporting.

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- B. 10 CFR 60.161, "Training and Certification Program."
- C. 10 CFR 60.162, "Physical Requirements."
- D. 10 CFR 72.190, "Operator Requirements."
- E. 10 CFR 72.192, "Operator Training and Certification Program."
- F. 10 CFR 72.194, "Physical Requirements."

**9.1.2 Regulatory Guides**

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- B. Regulatory Guide 3.42, "Emergency Planning for Fuel Cycle Facilities and Plants Licensed Under 10 CFR Parts 50 and 70."

**9.1.3 Codes and Standards**

- A. ANSI/ASME B&PV Code Section IX, "Welding and Brazing Qualifications."
- B. ANSI/ASTM C986-1983, "Standard Guide for Developing Training Programs in the Nuclear Fuel Cycle."
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### **9.2 EMERGENCY PLANNING**

#### **9.2.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

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B. 10 CFR 50, Appendix E, "Emergency Planning and Preparedness for Production and Utilization."

C. 10 CFR 72.32, "Emergency Plan."

#### **9.2.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 3.42, "Emergency Planning for Fuel Cycle Facilities and Plants Licensed Under 10 CFR Parts 50 and 70."

#### **9.2.3 Codes and Standards**

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#### **9.2.4 Supplementary Information**

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### **9.3 OPERATING AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES**

#### **9.3.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

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B. 10 CFR 70.57, "Measurement Control Program for Special Nuclear Materials Control and Accounting."

C. 10 CFR 70.58, "Fundamental Nuclear Material Controls."

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### **9.3.2 Regulatory Guides**

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C. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Facility."

### **9.3.3 Codes and Standards**

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### **9.3.4 Supplementary Information**

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C. ORO-651, Rev. 1, "Uranium Hexafluoride Handling Procedures and Container Criteria," USAEC, 1967.

D. NRC Information Notice No. 90-47, "Unplanned Radiation Exposures to Personnel Extremities Due to Improper Handling of Potentially Highly Radioactive Sources," USNRC.

E. IE Information Notice No. 85-87, "Hazards of Inerting Atmospheres," USNRC.

## 9.4 REPORTS AND MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

### 9.4.1 Code of Federal Regulations

- A. 10 CFR 50.71, "Maintenance of Records, Making of Reports."
- B. 10 CFR 50.59, "Changes, Tests, and Experiments."
- C. 10 CFR 60.44, "Changes, Test, and Experiments."
- D. 10 CFR 60.71, "Records and Reports."
- E. 10 CFR 60.72, "Construction Records."
- F. 10 CFR 60.73, "Reports on Deficiencies."
- G. 10 CFR 60.74, "Tests."
- H. 10 CFR 61.25, "Changes."
- I. 10 CFR 61.80, "Maintenance of Records, Reports, and Transfers."
- J. 10 CFR 70.51, "Material Balance, Inventory, and Records Requirements."
- K. 10 CFR 70.52, "Reports of Accidental Criticality or Loss or Theft or Attempted Theft of Special Nuclear Material."
- L. 10 CFR 70.53, "Material Status Reports."
- M. 10 CFR 70.54, "Nuclear Material Transfer Reports."
- N. 10 CFR 70.59, "Effluent Monitoring Reporting Requirements."
- O. 10 CFR 72.48, "Changes, Tests, and Experiments."
- P. 10 CFR 72.70, "Safety Analysis Report Updating."
- Q. 10 CFR 72.72, "Material Balance, Inventory, and Records Requirements for Stored Materials."
- R. 10 CFR 72.74, Reports of Accidental Criticality or Loss of Special Nuclear Material."
- S. 10 CFR 72.76, "Material Status Report."
- T. 10 CFR 72.78, Nuclear Material Transfer Reports."

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#### **9.4.2 Regulatory Guides**

A. Regulatory Guide 1.21, "Measuring, Evaluating, and Reporting Radioactivity in Solid Wastes and Releases of Radioactive Materials in Liquid and Gaseous Effluents from Light-Water-Cooled Nuclear Power Plants."

B. Regulatory Guide 3.19, "Reporting Operating Information for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

C. Regulatory Guide 3.50, "Standard Format and Content for a License Application to Store Spent Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste."

#### **9.4.3 Codes and Standards**

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## CHAPTER 10

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The criteria in this chapter are for initiating events that result in a criticality accident.

#### 10.1 Code of Federal Regulations

- A. 10 CFR 50.34, "Contents of Applications: Technical Information."
- B. 10 CFR 60.21, "Content of Application."
- C. 10 CFR 61.13, "Technical Analyses."
- D. 10 CFR 70.22, "Content of Applications."
- E. 10 CFR 70.23, "Requirements for the Approval of Applications."
- F. 10 CFR 72.24, "Contents of Application: Technical Information."
- G. 10 CFR 100.11, "Determination of Exclusion Area, Low Population Zone, and Population Center Distance."

#### 10.2 REGULATORY GUIDES

- A. Regulatory Guide 1.25, "Assumptions Used for Evaluating the Potential Radiological Consequences of a Fuel-Handling Accident in the Fuel-Handling and Storage Facility for Boiling and Pressurized Water Reactors." (The method of calculating X/Q values in this guide is superseded by the method presented in Regulatory Guide 1.145, "Atmosphere Dispersion Models for Potential Accident Consequence Assessments at Nuclear Power Plants.")
- B. Regulatory Guide 1.91, "Evaluations of Explosions Postulated to Occur on Transportation Routes Near Nuclear Power Plants."
- C. Regulatory Guide 1.113, "Estimated Aquatic Dispersion of Effluents from Accidental and Routine Releases for the Purpose of Implementing Appendix I."

D. Regulatory Guide 1.145, "Atmospheric Dispersion Models for Potential Accident Consequence Assessments at Nuclear Power Plants."

E. Regulatory Guide 3.33, "Assumptions Used for Evaluating the Potential Radiological Consequences of Accidental Nuclear Criticality in a Fuel Reprocessing Plant."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.34, "Assumptions Used for Evaluating the Potential Radiological Consequences of Accidental Nuclear Criticality in a Uranium Fuel Fabrication Plant."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.35, "Assumptions Used for Evaluating the Potential Radiological Consequences of accidental Nuclear Criticality in a Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plant."

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F. NUREG/CR-3210, "Low-Level Waste Risk Methodology Development," Cox, N.D. et al., EG&G Inc., May 1983.

G. NUREG/CR-3139, "Scenarios and Analytical Methods for UF<sub>6</sub> Releases at NRC-Licensed Fuel Cycle Facilities," Simantov, M. et al., Oak Ridge National Laboratory, July 1984.

H. NUREG/CR-2933, "Nuclear Fuel Cycle Risk Assessment: Survey and Computer Compilation of Risk-Related Literature," Yates, K.R. et al., Battelle Pacific Northwest Laboratories, October 1982.

I. NUREG/CR-2429, "Data Base for Radiation Events in the Commercial Nuclear Fuel Cycle, 1950-1978," Bodeau, D.J. et al., Argonne National Laboratory, March 1982.

J. NUREG/CR-2402, "Risk Analysis Methodology for Spent Fuel Repositories in Bedded Salt," Pepping, R.E. et al., Sandia National Laboratories, July 1983.

K. NUREG/CR-2260, "Technical Basis for Regulatory Guide 1.145 Atmospheric Dispersion Models for Potential Accident Consequence Assessments at Nuclear Power Plants," Snell, W.G., et al., NUS Corp., October 1981.

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M. NUREG/CR-1397, "Risk Methodology for Geologic Disposal of Radioactive Waste: Small Sample Sensitivity Analysis Technologies for Computer Models, With an Application to Risk Assessment," Sandia National Laboratories, May 1980.

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T. HEDL-TME-76-98, "Procedures for Hazards Analysis of Plutonium Glove Boxes Used in Analytical Chemistry Operations," Delvin, W.L., Hanford Engineering Development Laboratory, June 1977.

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## CHAPTER 11

### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS OR OPERATING CONTROLS AND LIMITS

This chapter identifies criteria for establishing controls and limits on operating conditions, and requirements imposed on facility operation in technical specifications or operational safety requirements.

#### 11.1 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

- A. 10 CFR 50.36, "Technical Specifications."
- B. 10 CFR 60.21, "Content of Application."
- C. 10 CFR 70.22, "Contents of Applications."
- D. 10 CFR 72.24, "Contents of Application: Technical Information."
- E. 10 CFR 72.26, "Contents of Application: Technical Specifications."
- E. 10 CFR 72.44, "License Conditions."

#### 11.2 REGULATORY GUIDES

**Note:** Regulatory Guides 3.15, 3.25, 3.26, 3.39, 3.44, 3.48 and 3.52 listed in Chapter 1 each contain criteria for facility technical specifications or operating controls and limits.

- A. Regulatory Guide 3.6, "Content of Technical Specifications for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

#### 11.3 CODES AND STANDARDS

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#### 11.4 SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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B. CONF-840247 (Vol. 1), DE 84012130, "Operational Safety Requirements at the Oak Ridge Gaseous Diffusion Plant," McRae, N.G., Proceedings of the 1984 DOE Nuclear Reactor and Facility Conference.

**CHAPTER 12**  
**QUALITY ASSURANCE**

**12.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE DURING DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND OPERATION**

**12.1.1 Code of Federal Regulations**

- A. 10 CFR 50.4, "Written Communications."
- B. 10 CFR 50.55, "Conditions of Construction Permits."
- C. 10 CFR 50, Appendix B, "Quality Assurance Criteria for Nuclear Power Plants and Fuel Reprocessing Plants."
- D. 10 CFR 60.31, "Construction Authorization."
- E. 10 CFR 60 Subpart G, "Quality Assurance."
- F. 10 CFR 61.12, "Specific Technical Information."
- G. 10 CFR 72.40, "Issuance of License."
- H. 10 CFR 72 Subpart G, "Quality Assurance."

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- C. Regulatory Guide 3.3, "Quality Assurance Program Requirements for Fuel Reprocessing Plants and for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- D. Regulatory Guide 3.10, "Liquid Waste Treatment System Design Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."
- E. Regulatory Guide 3.12, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems or Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

F. Regulatory Guide 3.16, "General Fire Protection Guide for Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

G. Regulatory Guide 3.20, "Process Offgas Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

H. Regulatory Guide 3.21, "Quality Assurance Requirements for Protective Coatings Applied to Fuel Reprocessing and to Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

I. Regulatory Guide 3.27, "Nondestructive Examination of Welds in the Liners of Concrete Barriers in Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

J. Regulatory Guide 3.29, "Preheat and Interpass Temperature Control for the Welding of Low-Alloy Steel for Use in Fuel Reprocessing Plants and in Plutonium Processing and Fuel Fabrication Plants."

K. Regulatory Guide 3.30, "Selection, Application, and Inspection of Protective Coatings (Paints) for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

L. Regulatory Guide 3.32, "General Design Guide for Ventilation Systems for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

M. Regulatory Guide 3.38, "General Fire Protection Guide for Fuel Reprocessing Plants."

N. Regulatory Guide 3.49, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Water Basin Type)."

O. Regulatory Guide 3.53, "Applicability of Existing Regulatory Guides to the Design and Operation of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation."

P. Regulatory Guide 3.60, "Design of an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage)."

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### **12.1.3 Codes and Standards**

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D. ANSI/ANS 57.9-1984, "Design Criteria for an Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Dry Storage Type)."

E. ANSI/ASME NQA-1-1989, "Quality Assurance Program Requirements for Nuclear Facilities."

F. ANSI/ASME NQA-2-1989, "Quality Assurance Requirements for Nuclear Facility Applications."

G. ANSI/ASME NQA-3-1989, "Quality Assurance Program Requirements for the Collection of Scientific and Technical Information for Site Characterization of High-Level Nuclear Waste Repositories."

H. ANSI/ASME N626-1990, "Qualifications and Duties for Authorized Nuclear Inspection Agencies and Personnel."

I. ANSI/ASQC B1, B2, B3-1985, "Guide for Quality Control Charts, Method of Analyzing Data, and Controlling Quality During Production."

J. ANSI/ASQC C1-1985, "General Requirements for a Quality Program."

K. ANSI/ASTM C934-85, "Standard Guide for Design and Quality Assurance Practices for Nuclear Fuel Rods."

L. ANSI/ASTM C1009-84, "Guide for Establishing a Quality Assurance Program for Analytical Chemistry Laboratories Within the Nuclear Industry."

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